

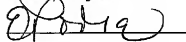
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TETRAHYDRO-6-AMINOBENZOTHAZOLES FROM  
CYCLOHEXANES AND CYCLOHEXANONES AS  
INTERMEDIATES  
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated June 17, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.